

REMARKS

This §312 Amendment submits the changes identified above and is further responsive in any manner indicated below.

PENDING CLAIMS

Claims 11-28 were allowed in this application as indicated at Item 2 in the Notice of Allowance Form PTOL-37 attached to the Notice of Allowance dated 27 July 2004. Claims 21 and 27 are amended herein to correct minor informalities in the claims. For example, Claim 21 has been amended to correctly depend from Claim 12 instead of Claim 11, since there is no antecedent basis for the "transparent base" in Claim 11, and Claim 27 has been amended to correctly identify the "liquid" crystal display element, to conform to the actual claimed element rather than appear to introduce another or different type of crystal display element. These corrections are presented merely to adjust the clarity of Applicant's claims and are unrelated to any prior art or scope adjustment. No new matter is presented. At entry of this paper, Claims 11-28 remain allowed in this application.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

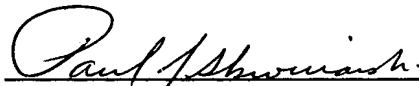
It is respectfully submitted that any and all claim amendments and/or cancellations submitted within this paper and throughout prosecution of the present application are without prejudice or disclaimer of any scope or subject matter. Further, Applicant respectfully reserves all rights to file subsequent related application(s) (including reissue applications) directed to any/all previously claimed limitations/features which have been subsequently amended or cancelled, or to

any/all limitations/features not yet claimed, *i.e.*, Applicant continues (indefinitely) to maintain no intention or desire to dedicate or surrender any limitations/features of subject matter of the present application to the public.

CONCLUSION

This §312 Amendment is being submitted concurrently with the Issue Fee and does not present any changes which would require further search, consideration or fees. Entry and approval of the minor corrections made herein are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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